

GENERAL ORDERS, }
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WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 1, 1864.

Large bills for printing headings to letter paper, Special Orders, &c., the words "official business," and the address on envelopes, and various other items of job printing not authorized by the Regulations, have been presented at the War Department for payment. At a time when the greatest economy should be observed in the public expenditure, all such superfluous and ostentatious outlay must be strictly avoided. Hereafter such accounts, if paid, will be stopped against the pay of the officer who orders the work to be done.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

E. D. TOWNSEND,
Assistant Adjutant General.

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